



**Viking Sewing Gallery of
Greater Indianapolis presents the...**

2006 Showcase of Fashions



August 13, 2006



Indiana State Fair • Home & Family Arts Building

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Welcome to the 2006 Viking Gallery of the Greater Indianapolis Area Showcase of Fashions

The Indiana State Fair Competition stresses the complete look. The judges are instructed to check whether the pattern and fabric are suitable for the model and whether the shoes and accessories are appropriate for the attire. The garment construction may be examined at a County Contest.

For further information, contact your County Extension Educator in charge of Consumer & Family Sciences, the chairperson of your county fashion show or one of the committee members listed below. A special thanks to these committee members, the staff of the Home & Family Arts Department for organizing this outstanding SHOWCASE OF FASHIONS and the Viking Sewing Machine Corporation for their sponsorship.

We will be holding the judging and the fashion show finals on the **First Sunday of the Fair**. Judging will be held in the 3rd floor auditorium, and the Fashion Show will be held on the main stage on the 1st floor of the Home & Family Arts Building, Sunday, August 13 at 2:00 pm for all divisions. All contestants will be required to participate in the Public Presentation.

Please plan to arrive early due to Fair traffic. **There is a \$20.00 Entry Fee, and each entrant will receive six one-day passes to the fair.** Any other tickets are the responsibility of the contestant or person needing a ticket. Parking is available in the infield. There is a walk tunnel on the south side of the infield by Old National Bank Grand Hall. If you have entered in the Home & Family Arts as an exhibitor, you don't need to pay an additional entry fee for the Fashion Show. Handicapped parking is located next to the Home & Family Arts Building.

Good Luck with your County Fair Competition, and we look forward to an exciting SHOWCASE OF FASHIONS at the 2006 Indiana State Fair.

The Committee

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TERMS AND CONDITIONS

1. CONTESTANTS MUST ENTER THEIR OWN COUNTY PRELIMINARY JUDGING OR BE APPROVED BY THE COUNTY EXTENSION OFFICE. CONTESTANTS DO NOT NEED TO BE A COUNTY WINNER.
2. Garments modeled must have been made *by the contestants* after September 1, 2005.
3. The contest for Divisions I, II, and III are for nonprofessionals. Division IV is for the professional.
- 4a. Contestants must model the same garment which won the county contest. If desired, accessories may be changed or workmanship improved. The contestant must model her/his own garment; someone else *cannot* take her/his place at the state judging.
- 4b. Concerning the WEDDING GOWN, TEEN GARMENTS & CHILD'S GARMENT classes, seamstress must enter the age division or professional division in which she/he (seamstress) falls. If the wedding gown has been made by someone else other than the bride, the seamstress must be present for official judging and the public fashion show presentation. The award will be given to the seamstress. Same rule applies in child's garment class and teen's garment class.
5. Contestants may enter in only one class at the state level. Contestants may enter as many classes as desired at the county level, unless county rules state otherwise. Contestants should enter garment(s) in most suitable class.
6. Contestants must reside in the county in which they participate unless there is no contest; then they may enter a contest in an adjoining county. County extension office will make arrangements. If there is no local county contest, contact Indiana State Fair Committee listed on page 2 of brochure or county extension office. Seamstress must live in INDIANA.
7. Garments to be worn in the State Fair Fashion Show cannot be exhibited for construction at the State Fair in Open Class (Home & Family Arts Building) or 4-H winners' garment on exhibit at State Fair.
8. *Each county may send two entrants in each class for each division.*
9. *Contestants must participate in the public presentation to receive their award.*
10. Judging will be open to the public.
11. "Check - in" on the 3rd floor of the **Home & Family Arts Building** will begin no earlier than 8:30 am for all divisions on August 13, 2006. Judging will begin at 9:00 am for all divisions.
12. Both pattern and fabric are to be different from year to year. Violation of this rule will result in disqualification.
13. Public show is at 2:00 pm for all divisions on main stage.
14. Each contestant must send form, fabric & entry fee to the INDIANA STATE FAIR ENTRY DEPT. to be complete.

INDIANA STATE FAIR FASHION SHOW SCHEDULE

Tuesday, August 1 - Your official entry forms are due at the Entry Department, Indiana State Fair, post marked no later than July 30 or 48 hours after the date of your county fair fashion show, which ever is latest, signed by the county extension educator in charge of your county fair fashion show. **There cannot be any exceptions to this term and condition.**

Sunday, August 13 - Judging and public presentation of finalists...refer to judging details sheet and Awards and Public Presentation for times.

Divisions I, II, III

I. 18-40 years of age as of January 1, 2006

II. 41-60 years of age as of January 1, 2006

III. 61 years of age as of January 1, 2006

Division IV- Professionals

One who is actively engaged in the last five years (receiving any monetary compensation in excess of \$1200 per year) in any phase of clothing, clothing construction, judging, modeling, fabric sales, teaching or has a degree in clothing and textiles.

****NOTE NEW CHANGE****

All categories will be judged at the designated times listed below:

Family Outfits	9:00 am
Dresses	9:00 am
Separates	9:00 am
Other, teen garments	9:30 am
Coats, Suits, etc.	9:30 am
My Choice	9:30 am
Other, child's garments	10:00 am
Wedding Gowns, Bridesmaids, Formals	10:00 am
Other, Embellished with Embroidery	10:00 am

Classes

A. Family Outfits (1 person modeling plus up to 4 family member(s) - a total number of 5).

Persons wearing garment(s) she/he has made, plus any other family member(s) wearing garments for them.

B. Dresses (1 person modeling only). Street length dress, one or two piece, a dress with own jacket, coat or vest suitable for daytime wear. Also includes jumper and blouse.

C. Coats or Suits (1 person modeling only). Separate coat for your wardrobe, to be solely a coat with its own accessories. Suits being two or more pieces (ie. shirt or pants with jacket, cape, or vest of the same fabric, shown with or without its own blouse or shirt). Jacket, coat, cape or vest must be lined.

D. Separates (1 person modeling only). True coordinates. May be 2, 3 or more garments selected and modeled together for a complete look. All garments must be worn. Each piece should be important enough to stand on its own with other garments. Accessory items such as sweater, blouse or shirt may be a purchased garment.

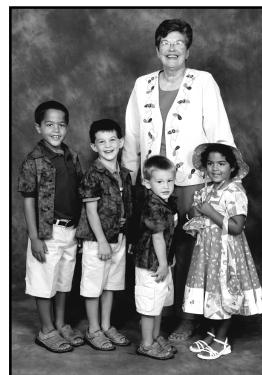
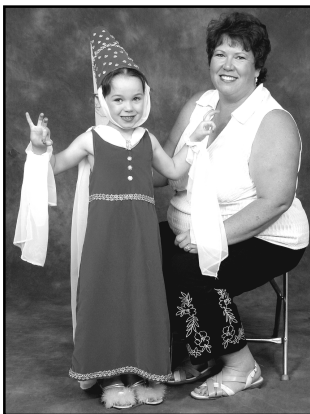
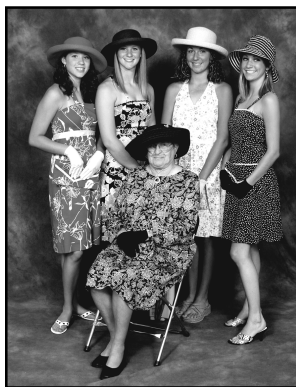
E. My Choice (1 person only modeling). Activewear (ie. tenniswear/swimwear), western, loungewear or costumes (such as historic, dance, international or Halloween) which do not fit in the above classes. No bridal gowns, see H.

F. Sewing for Others / Childrens Garments (Limit 1 child). Any type of child's garment, seamstress must be present. Children ages 2-11 as of January 1, 2006.

G. Sewing for Others / Teen Garments (Limit 1 teen). Any type of teen's garment, seamstress must be present. Teen ages 12-17 as of January 1, 2006.

H. Wedding Gowns, Bridesmaids, or Formals (1 person modeling only). Seamstress of the garment must be present at the judging. (Refer to rule 4b)

I. Other, Embellished w/Hand or Machine Embroidery (1 person modeling only). Any hand-made garment that has been embellished by Hand or Machine Embroidery.



Awards and Public Presentation Main Stage of Home and Family Arts Bldg.

Each participant in the State Fair level of judging will receive a
Fashion Show participation ribbon.

All contestants will be required to participate in the public presentation to be held starting at 2:00 on August 13, 2006. Viking Gallery of Greater Indianapolis Area will present winners and runner-ups a gift in each of the classes (a possible of 36 awards each).

Special Thanks...

**to the Viking Sewing Machine
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A photographer will be available for all participants should they desire to have photographs taken.